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Re: Movable Shelving - Bldg. A-18



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Dear



Thank you for the opportunity to offer suggestions for improving the specifications covering the movable shelving for this project. In general, we feel this is an excellent specification and we could bid as now constituted. We believe there are several items which with slight alterations to the specifications might result in savings of money as well as make for a better and quicker installation. Following are several suggestions we offer for your evaluation.

Section 2A-Removal and Relocation Work, par. 1.4 Explosives

It is general practice to fasten rails to the concrete with Ramset. This paragraph would cause our installers to go to a more expensive type of fastening.

Section 3A-Concrete

For the use to be made of this concrete the specification would seem to be very exacting.

Section 14A-Movable Shelving, par. 9 Motorization

We would suggest adding a concluding sentence as follows: "Ladders and record trucks will be used in range aisles. The width of gaps in the floor shall not be so wide to prevent the easy rolling of casters over the necessary floor openings."

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Section 16A-Electrical Work, par. 1

To date we have not determined whether it is feasible to expect 50 foot candles at the bottom shelf level since the lights will be over 10 feet above the floor. We are aware of fluorescent fixtures which will provide 50 foot candles 8 feet above the floor.

Thank you for your continued interest. We will look forward to supplying a competitive bid on this requirement.


Very truly yours,



General Sales Manager

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cc: Commanding Officer, 

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